

AMENDMENTS TO THE SPECIFICATION

Please amend the paragraph at page 11, line 1 of the present specification as follows:

The evaporation inhibiting layer 1390 is formed adjacently to the face opposite to the solid electrolyte membrane 114 in a substrate (cathode side collector) 110 in the single cell structure 1393. In a fuel cell having the single cell structure ~~[[1390]] 1393~~, the whole surface of the evaporation inhibiting layer ~~[[1393]] 1390~~ may be exposed, or alternatively, there may be a supplying path for the oxidizing agent 126 such that the evaporation inhibiting layer 1390 is exposed.